

UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09601222 in the amount of \$450.00 has been denied .

The refund request submitted on 11/15/06 has been scrutinized. It was determined that the notice of panel decision from pre-appeal brief review stated that you had one month from the date of the appeal brief review decision to submit the appeal brief. The decision was mailed on 11/2/05. You had until 12/2/05 to submit your appeal brief. Your appeal was submitted on 1/03/06 and there wasn't a certificate of mail present on the correspondence. Therefore, you owed the Patent and Trademark Office a \$120.00 for a one month extension of time. You will receive a refund in the amount of \$330.00

Sincerely,

  
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